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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

Chawla *et al.*

SERIAL NO.: Not yet Assigned

FILED: Concurrently Herewith

FOR: **METHOD FOR DETERMINING
ORGANIZATION PARAMETERS IN A
WIRELESS COMMUNICATION SYSTEM**

EXAMINER: Not yet Assigned

ART UNIT: Not yet Assigned

Preliminary Amendment

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination and calculation of the filing fee, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

In the Specification:

On page 1, please replace the paragraph starting on line 3 with the following substitute paragraph:

This application is a divisional of U.S. Patent Application No. 08/628,214, filed April 4, 1996, and is related to U.S. Patent Application No. 08/575,974, filed December 21, 1995, both of which are incorporated herein by reference in their entirety.

REMARKS

Entry of the above amendments prior to examination is respectfully requested.

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the specification by the current amendment. The attached page(s) is/are captioned "Version with Markings to Show Changes Made."

I. Amendments

The specification was amended to add the priority information. Accordingly, no new matter is added by way of these amendments.

If in the opinion of the Examiner a telephone conference would expedite the prosecution of the subject application, the Examiner is encouraged to call the undersigned at (650) 838-4406.

Respectfully submitted,



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